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9	UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT	
10	NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA	
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12	VANDA P. AQUINO,	Case No.: CV 10-5613 JCS
13	Plaintiff,	DEFENDANT BALLY
14	vs.	TOTAL FITNESS OF CALIFORNIA, INC.'S
15	TRANS UNION, LLC; and BALLY TOTAL () FITNESS CORPORATION, BALLY	UNOPPOSED MOTION FOR LEAVE OF COURT FOR
16	TOTAL FITNESS OF CALÍFORNIA, INC.,) BALLY TOTAL FITNESS OF THE MID-	LEAD COUNSEL TO PARTICIPATE IN INITIAL
17	ATLANTIC, INC.,	CASE MANAGEMENT CONFERENCE BY
18	Defendants.	TELEPHONE
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21	Bally Total Fitness of California, Inc. ("Bally"), by counsel, hereby files its	
22	Unopposed Motion For Leave Of Court For Lead Counsel to Participate in Initial	
23	Case Management Conference By Telephone (the "Motion"). In support of the	
24	Motion, Bally states as follows: 1. Bally seeks leave of court for lead counsel, Anthony J. Ellrod, to participate in	
25 26	the March 21, 2011 Initial Case Management Conference by telephone.	
27	2. Counsel for Bally has contacted all other parties to the matter and no party	
28	objects to this Motion.	
20	l objects to this month.	

- 3. An Initial Case Management Conference in this matter is scheduled for March 21, 2011, at 1:30 p.m. (PST). See Clerk's Notice Scheduling Case Management Conference On Reassignment [Doc. No. 10].
- 4. Good cause exists to grant Bally's lead counsel permission to participate in the Case Management Conference by telephone as lead counsel will be required to travel from Los Angeles, California to San Francisco, California and thus, Bally will incur significant travel costs and attorney's fees for lead counsel to participate in the Case Management Conference in person.
- 5. Civil L.R. 16-10(a) allows a party to request to participate in the Initial Case Management Conference by telephone.
- 6. Bally assures the Court that lead counsel can and will meaningfully participate by telephone in all respects as may be necessary. If necessary, Bally can arrange for telephone conferencing for the Court's convenience and counsel from the San Francisco office of Manning & Kass, Ellrod, Ramirez, Trester, LLP, counsel for Bally, is also available to appear in person.

WHEREFORE Bally, by counsel, respectfully requests that Bally's lead counsel be granted leave to participate in the Initial Case Management Conference by telephone.

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Dated: March 17, 2011

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